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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT REGARDING EXAMINER'S INTERVIEW AND  
PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Supplemental Amendment is submitted in connection with a November 4, 2003 Final Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office and as agreed during a July 27, 2004 Examiner's Interview with Examiner Philip Gambel of the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the November 4, 2003 Final Office Action was originally due February 4, 2003. Applicants filed a Communication In Response on February 4, 2004. On March 26, 2004, an Advisory Action was issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Applicants filed a Notice of Appeal on May 4, 2004. A

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brief on appeal was originally due July 6, 2004, based on the May 6, 2004 receipt by the United States Patent and Trademark Office of applicants' Notice of Appeal mailed May 4, 2004. Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time in which to file a brief on appeal. The required fee for a one-month extension of time is ONE-HUNDRED AND TEN DOLLARS (\$110.00) for a large entity. Applicants hereby give authorization to charge the \$110.00 fee for a one-month extension of time to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. With a one-month extension of time, a brief on appeal is now due August 6, 2004, and this Supplemental Amendment is being timely filed.